

## Appendix 19

### Items Covered by Wisconsin Medicaid in the Nursing Facility Daily Rate

The following is a partial list of items that are covered in the nursing facility daily rate under Section 5.100 of the Nursing Home Methods of Implementation. Wisconsin Medicaid retains its authority under s. 49.45(10), Wis. Stats., to amend, modify, or delete items on the list.

#### Over-the-Counter Drugs

- Acetaminophen.
- Antidiarrheals.
- Aspirin.
- Decubitus treatments.
- Digestive aids.
- Hemorrhoidal products.
- Ibuprofen.
- Laxatives.
- Minerals.
- Noncovered antihistamines.
- Noncovered cough and cold products.
- Noncovered ophthalmic products.
- Noncovered vaginal products.
- Quinine.
- Saliva Substitutes.
- Vitamins.

#### Dietary Supplies

- Artificial sweeteners.
- Diet supplements (e.g., Metrecal, Ensure, Vivonex, and related/similar products).
- Salt substitutes (e.g., Neocurtasal, etc.).
- Sugar substitutes.

#### Incontinence Supplies

- Catheters (Foley and Condom), catheter sets, component parts (e.g., tubing, urine collection apparatus, bags, bed bags, etc.).
- Diapers — disposable and reusable (including purchased diaper service).
- Underpads — disposable and reusable.

#### Personal Comfort Items and Medical Supplies

- Alcohols (e.g., rubbing, antiseptic, swabs).
- Analgesic rubs (e.g., Ben-Gay, Infrarub, Vicks, Vapo-rub, etc.).
- Antiseptics (e.g., Betadine, iodine, mercurochrome, merthiolate, and similar products).
- Baby, comfort, and foot powders.
- Body lotions, skin lubricants, moisturizers, and protectants, including:
  - ✓ Olive oil.
  - ✓ Nivea oil/cream/lotion.
  - ✓ Lubath.
  - ✓ Alpha-Keri.
  - ✓ Keri Lot sween cream.
  - ✓ Aluminum paste.
  - ✓ Zinc Oxide ointment/paste.
  - ✓ Neutrogena Lotion.
  - ✓ Crisco.
  - ✓ Sunscreens and suntan products.
  - ✓ A&D ointment.
  - ✓ Caldesene.
  - ✓ Desitin.
  - ✓ Lubriderm.
  - ✓ Eucerin.
  - ✓ Aveeno.
  - ✓ Taloin ointment.
  - ✓ Diaperene.
  - ✓ Carrington moisture barrier.
- Cotton-tipped applicators and cotton balls.
- Denture products (e.g., adhesives, cleaning products).
- Deodorants and antiperspirants.
- Disposable tissues (e.g., Kleenex).
- Dressings (e.g., adhesive pads, abdominal pads, gauze pads and rolls, eye pads, sanitary pads, stockinette, Op-site, and related products).

### Personal Comfort Items and Medical Supplies (continued)

- Enema administration apparatus.
- Gloves (latex or vinyl).
- Hydrogen peroxide.
- Lemon or glycerin swabs.
- Lubricating jellies (e.g., Vaseline, K-Y jelly).
- Oral hygiene products (e.g., dental floss, toothpaste, toothbrush, Waterpik).
- Phosphate enemas.
- Plastic or adhesive bandages (e.g., Band-aids).
- Shampoos (except specialized shampoos that are legend products, e.g., Selsun).
- Soaps (antiseptic and non-antiseptic).
- Straws (paper, plastic, etc.)
- Syringes and needles (disposable or reusable).
- Tapes (all types).
- Tincture of benzoin.
- Tongue depressors.
- Tracheotomy care sets and suction catheters.
- Tube feeding sets and component parts.

### Durable Medical Equipment

Most durable medical equipment (DME) items are covered in the nursing facility daily rate. Refer to the DME Index for items that can be separately billed for nursing facility recipients.